



Legend

Fire Environment (FEN) 4 levels

Minimal	- The Overall Fire Environment suggests a very low risk for Large fires (less than 1% chance)
Normal	- The Overall Fire Environment suggests a <u>normal</u> risk for large fires (1 - 4% chance)
Elevated	- The Overall Fire Environment suggests a moderately high risk for large fires (5 - 19% chance)
High Risk	The risk for large fire(s) is very high (≥ 20%) Triggers: 1. ⚡ (Significant Lightning) 2. BEN (Critical Burn Environment)

The assessment of the overall fire environment considers multiple factors including weather, lightning amount and fuel dryness. Large Fire probabilities are derived objectively via statistical methods. **High Risk** levels (≥ 20% probability of a large fire) are almost always due to significant lightning as burning conditions alone rarely result in a large fire probability much above about 10%.

Pacific Northwest 7 Day Significant Fire Potential

Tuesday, June 07, 2016



Predictive Service Areas	ytd	tdy	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun	Mon
NW01								
NW02								
NW03								
NW04								
NW05								
NW06								
NW07								
NW08								
NW09								
NW10								
NW11								
NW12								

Fire Potential: Ignitions from lightning will continue today mainly over sections of eastern Oregon and then into far eastern Washington on Wednesday. Main threat of new fires centers in southwest and south central Oregon (PSAs NW04 and NW07). Cooler, wetter conditions will move in by Thursday with a corresponding decrease in fire danger. Wet thunderstorms will continue in some spots but new fire potential will be much lower by the weekend and through next week as well.

Note: Publication of this product will be sporadic due to staff shortage at NWCC.

Preparedness Level:

Northwest: 2
National: 2

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